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Business House and Courts Close for Funeral of John M. Faggard.

Portales, N. M., March 12.-John M. Faggard, one of the pioneers of Portales, died at his home here, leaving a wife and six children, all of whom were with him at the time of his death. Mr. Faggard had been in business at Portales for a number of years. The funeral services were held at the Baptist church by Rev. E. P. Alldredge and a large number of friends accompanied the body to the grave, where the services were concluded

P. E. Carter, representative, en route ston is still in session and has brought to Santa Fe, stopped at Clovis to finish in four true bills to date.

A MESSAGE TO WOMEN

A Puterson, N. J., young woman.
Miss Ellizabeth Bushloper, has written a message to the women of America that will be of great value to those who beed it. She says:

"Every spring for some years I have been debilitated, having general weskiness and feeling tired and wormout all the time. This apring I determined I would fight it off with vinel. Vinel has done all that was telephone and vigor, I can eat heartly and my sleep is light and refreshing.

"I wish every tired-out woman could know what great good Vinol would know what great good Vinol would know what great good Vinol would do her." Spring is the most trying time of year for most people, and it is well to know that vinol, our deligious cod liver and tron remedy without oil, is the most valuable apring medicine.

Its blood enriching and strength-treating effects are just what one needs, and as we will certainly give back your money if you are not antiful and move here.

In the time of years for most people, and it is blood enriching and strength-treating effects are just what one needs, and as we will certainly give back your money if you are net antiful to the vision of the light and reflecting probably purchase some irrigated land and move here.

valley during the past year, has been here for several days.

Mrs. Roselle Culberson has left for Las Vegas, where she will stay with her children until the close of the present

children until the close of the present term of school.

Frank at Beard has sold 20 acres of irrigated land east of Portales, to Wm. H. Ball, consideration \$2650. Mr. Beard has bought 30 acres of the J. A. Fairly place, west of town, and will instal a private irrigation plant.

Wm. H. Ball has returned from the northern states with several prospectors, who are very much pleased with the valley and have returned home to

the valley and have returned home to close up some business matters, and will

come back prepared to invest here. The well on the Carter farm east of town, has been completed at a depth of 111 fest. The driller states that he found no clay at all in drilling this well, the entire depth consisting of gravel and pressed sand. Mr. Carlisle has moved his well drill to the Oilie Davis place, near Trammell, and will begin a well at once for Mr. Davis. H. D. Terrell, of Clovis, and W. C. Beid and Hiram M. Dow, of Roswell, are

out of town attorneys who have been in attendance at court here this week. by the Masons. The business houses were closed and court adjourned from 2 to 5 p. m. for the funeral service.

Dr. A. J. Evans, of Elida. passed through Portales en route to Santa Fe, where he represents the panty in the state senate, and spent a few hours have between trains.

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J. H. Thrasher, supervisor for the growing of sugar beets for the Portales p. m. a brigade of some 20 girls with ds under arms made their way to the ome of the hostess, and after a delightful supper the time was passed in games

Panama Canal, Greatest Of Engineering Feats

United States Eclipses All the World In Its Work In Digging the Big Ditch for Ships. By FREDERIC J. HASKIN.

Solomonville, Arizona.

I have derived much pleasure

and information from the perusal

of your book, "The American

Government." It gives such an

impression of the immensity and

greatness of our government that one is inspired to a deeper sense

of appreciation and love of coun-

try, and it is a genuine pleasure

to recommend it to the general

public, as it gives just the infor-

mation that the people want to know in a concise and interesting

manner, as the hull is eliminated

and nothing but the kernel re-

mains. I think a copy should be in every school and home in the

J. A. Woods,

Yours very sincerely,

County School Superintendent, Grahum County, Arizona.

Almost every method of excavating known to the engineering world is brought into use in digging the Pana-

wide. They are separated by an in-side wall or partition, which is 60 feet thick. Running lengthwise through the outside walls and the mid-dle partition are great cultures; on concrete pipe lines, which are almost

iarge enough to serve as tunnels for a doubletrack railroad. Connecting with these three hugo tunnels are a series of smaller enes. 8 feet in diameter, which run across the locks under their floors. These open through the floor of the locks in series of

level, the upper gates are opened and electric towing locomotives pull it into the first lock. Then the gates are closed behind it, and the valves in the tunnel are so arranged that the water passes out of the upper lock, down through the holes in the floor, then through the small tunnels, then through the large ones, and then into the next lock helow. As soon as the water in this lock rises to the level of the water in the lock above, the gate between them is opened and the ship is towed into the lower lock. This operation is repeated until the vessel

elsewhere on this page. Incidentally, Frank G. Carpenter will this week begin a series of articles in the Week-bend El Paso Herald on the Panama canal and its greatness. The first article will appear this week.)

TOMESTONE ISOLATED WHEN PHONE LINE GOES DOWN

Mr. Frederic J. Haskir,

El Paso, Texas.

Care The Herald,

TO other engineering undertakother engineering undertak-ing in the entire history of the world compares with that of digging the Panama canal. It required 100,000 men 20 years to build the pyramid of Cheops; a hole deep enough to bury 12 such pyramids is made in a year at Panama. It required nearly a score of years to culld the Suez canal; as much dirt is excavated at Panama in 12 months. The Manchester chip canal was a number of years in building; that task is duplicated in 15 months at Panama.

It took the French as many years to discover that they could not build a 15 foot canal as it will take the United States to make it a finished waterway 40 feet deep; and it cost the French as much to make a fallure of their project as it will cost the United States to make a success of its undertaking. ed 190,000 men 20 years to build the

taking.

Greatest Digger in History.

Chief Engineer George W. Gosthals
has made himself the greatest digger
in history. In four years he excavated enough material to make a month in history. In four years he excavated ed enough material to make a monument of dirt with a base larger than the height of the Washington monument and towering far into the regions of perpetual anow. This material would fill a modern dirt training enough to girdle the globe two-and a half times. When Uncle Sam took hold of the work of building the canalit was figured that it would require nine years to excavate 105,000,000 yards of dirt; at the rate the work is now progressing he will have moved 185,000,000 yards in five years. The cost of excavating a yard of dirt in Culebra cut has been reduced from 11.5 cents to 8.58 cents. The distance the excavated material is hauled increased from 8 to 12 miles in two years, but the cost of hauling it was reduced from 18.54 cents a yard to 15.22 cents.

Measured in the results which will follow the completion of the undertaking, the work at Panama stands in a class by itself. Cities which are today mere way stalions on the international routes of trade will grow into rich world centers. The east will be brought 5000 miles closer to the west. Eighty million tons of freight a year may be carried through the canal all without overtaking its facilities.

Raising the Water.

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The middle section of the canal, 34 miles long, has a water level 85 feet higher than the sections from Gatun and Mirafiores to the sea. The canal diggers are damming up the Chagnes river at Gatun so as to make a great lake, cutting a great ditch through the Culebra mountain so as to permit the water of this take to back up to a depth of 40 feet through the mountain. This requires a dam at Gatun which This requires a dam at Gatun which will make the lake 85 feet deep at that point. This dam is approximately a mileandahalf long, a half mile wide at the bottom, 490 feet wide at the water line, and a burnared feet wide at the top, its total height will be 115 feet or 30 feet higher than the surface of

Phoenix, Arizona-

Mr. Frederic J. Haskin, Care The Herald, El Paso, Texas.

Dear Sirt-I have glanced through your new book, "The American Government," with a great deal of interest. I have read the article on the President and I am sure that it is going to be very interesting reading indeed. You should have a large circulation for your book

Yours very truly, Lloyd B. Christy,

the water in the lake it creates. It covers 238 acres of land.

Its slop is so gradual as hardly to be noticed in the landscape. Take a yardatick and raise one end three inches higher than the other and the resulting slope will be considerably steeper than the average slope of the Gatur dam. When completed the dam will contain some 29,000,000 yards of material, which is being put into piece at the rate of more than 5,000,000 yards a year. Construction was begun by building two parallel lines of stone retaining walls across the vnigun by building two parallel lines of stone retaining walls across the vnlley, 1200 feet apart. Between those two walls millions of cubic yards of sand and clay are being dumped into large ponds maintained at the crest of the dam. The water deposits its load of solid matter and flows off to be pumped up again with another load. The natural cement heid in suspension by the dredged water tightens up every tiny space as a brick mason might close a hole in the wall.

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One of the problems which the engineers have had to encounter in building the Gatun dam is that of disposing of the vast amount of surplus water which comes down the Chagres. This is a moody stream, sometimes quiet and shallow and at other times quiet and shallow and at other times a torrential river with a sustained flow of 137,000 cubic feet of water a second. How to build a spillway that will pass such an enormous amount of water from the lake surface to sea level, 35 feet below, has been a difficult problem to soire. The lake has been made so big, covering 164 square miles of superficial surface, that the Chagres on its greatest rampage might flow into it for more than five hours and yet raise its level only i foet; the water level may be raised 7 feet without doing damage.

The Chagres now crosses the line of the canal 23 times on its 23 mile journey from Gamboa, where it first strikes the big waterway, to Gatun. When the Gatun dam is completed the river will lose itself in the waters of the lake at Gamboa. The spillway aver which the surplus water of the Gatun lake will flow, consists of a huge crescent shaped dam of concrete surmounted by 13 large piers and two

of Sorts

When everything goes wrong and the future looks black, instead of moping around go right to your druggist and ask for

PHONE LINE GOES DOWN Tombstone, Ariz, March 13.—Tombstone was cut off from the outside polnis of the county for two days on account of the line going down between here and Hisbee. Since the management of the Mountain States company saw fit to cut the other lines leading out of Tombstone the Bisbes line was used to hendle all of the work and as goon as anything happens to it, all communication is cut off. Before there were lines to Benson and Genson and service could be had to all parts of these lines. The lines are still up to both of these places simply being out out. both of these places simply being cut out. Arnold Faust, who is wanted in Pinal county on a grand larceny charge, was taken to that place by deputy sheriff Chester McGes of Florence. Faust was captured by county ranger Sam Coleman at Dos Caberna a few days since and brought here pending the arrival of the officer from Pinal county. Dan Reynolds, who in 1904 was sentenced to serve a term of five years on a robbery charge from this county, is now under indictment in Pina county on a charge of barglary. He is to be tried in the superior court of that county some time during the present week.

You will find this a short cut to happiness, because they will remove the cause of your trouble which is nothing more than a sluggish liver. At your druggist-sugar coated or plain.

Thousands of Pear Trees Being Set Out Around Las Cruces.

The office of The Herald for Las Cruces is in the Robinson Drug Store, "The Quality Store." This firm will deliver The Herald each ight at the regular rate of 60 cents month.

Las Cruces, N. M., March 13 .- That the Mestlia valley is destined to become one of the great fruit sections come one of the great fruit sections of the southwest is believed an assured fact. Alfalfa fields in the valley are gradually giving away to fruit and higher priced crops.

Less than four years ago Dr. W. C. Field secured 126 acres or valley land with the intention of gradually setting out one of the largest pear orchards in the valley. The first development consisted of 15 acres set out two years ago. These trees have done better than was expected and the healthy growth has shown the owner that this valley has the ideal soil and climate for fruit.

This senson there will be 3500 more

This senson there will be 3500 more pear trees added to the orchard, part of these will be set out in the nur-sery where they will remain for next sery where they will remain for next year's planting, and the balance will be used to replace alfalfa that will be plowed under and thus enrich the ground and make the land much more valuable. When the entire 3500 trees are in the orchard by the end of next year, the doctor will have 50 acres of pear orchard, worth approximately \$400 per acre on land that would be worth possibly \$150 per acre in al-falfa. hig abutments, which divide the dam into 14 openings each of which will be opened and closed by glant gates. Digging the Canal.

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worth possibly \$150 per acre in alfalfa.

Another orchard that will be put in this year is on the 127 acres purchased last fall by E. C. Crapps, formerly of Clint, Texas. Mr. Crapps came here and investigated the situation carefully Finding the conditions right for peaches and apples he purchased 126 acres of valley land but a short distance north of town.

After building a modern home Mr. Crapps started to improve his place, and has 12,000 fruit trees ready for planting this season. The plan is to set out 6000 pear trees at the rate of 58 trees to the acre. These trees will not be in full bearing for five to seven years, and to fill in between now and the time the pears come in he has 5000 peach trees which will be set out between the rows. The peach trees should begin to bear in two years and the five crops of peaches that will come in before the pears are bearing will more than pay the cost of the orchard and the expense of keeping it up.

It is estimated by those who have brought into use in digging the Pana-ma canal. At the entrance on each side of the Isthmus giant sengoing suction dredges collect the material and carry it out to sea. On each side of one of these dredges are huge 20-inch suckers, operated by centrifugal pumps, which work with such tre-mendous suction power that they pick up such things as pieces of anchor chains. chains.

In the Culebra cot the steam shovel is king, and dynamite by the carload is used. More than a militon pounds of explosives are fired off every month in the canal works, the major portion of which is used at Culebra. In some of the big blasts 25 or more wells are dug by machines operated by the largest air compressor plant in the world, and into each of these holes the major portion of a ton of dynamite is placed, and then the whole thing is touched off by pressing an electric

orchard and the expense of keeping it up.

It is estimated by those who have peach orchards that are producing at the present time that a peach tree four years old will pay about \$4 per season, and counting 2000 live trees out of the 6000 that will be set out, the income from peaches should exceed \$25,000 per year the fourth year. It will hot be necessary to cut out the peach trees for about seven years, after which the pears will demand all the room. suched off by pressing an electric In another place by draulic excavation In another place hydraulic excavation is resorted to. Here one sees a great pumping station capable of forcing 30,000 gallons of water a minute through a pips which tapers from 40 to 10 inches in diameter. To this are attached four or five flexible water notates through which are forced streams of water from \$ to 6 inches in diameter, with a pressure of 130 pounds to the square inch. These streams of water literally eat the dirt away.

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Buys Treet For Fruit Orchard.

The purchase of 50 acres within half a mile northeast of town by F. M. Hayner to be subdivided into five acrefult tracts is a direct result of the examination made by soil experts who have been platting the valley for the department of agriculture during the past few months.

The statement has been repeatedly made by various authorities on soil that the first bench lands slong the Rio Grande valley will be the fruit lands of the future, and Mr. Nelson of the department of agriculture on several occasions stated that he believed these upper bench lands were the best adapted to fruit of any lands in the entire project.

One large well, throwing 500 gallons are minute, should be sufficient to irsway.

Giant Marine Stairwaya,

The canal would be of no use were
there not a method of getting ships
from the sea level to the lake level
85 feet above, and vice versa. To
accomplish this purpose giant marine
stairways are being built. These are
constructed like a doubletrack railway,
so that one ship may be going us
while another is going down. There
are three steps in the stairway at
Gatun on the Atlantic side. On the
Pacific side there is one step at Pedro Miguel and two at Miraflores. At
each step a ship is lifted up or down
slightly more than 18 feet. The two
side by side locks, including the outside walls, are approximately \$80 feet
wide. They are separated by an in-

in the entire project.

One large well, throwing 100 gallons per minute, should be sufficient to irrigate this entire tract of 30 acres in fruit, it is claimed, and the expense of pumping 100 feet, which will be the estimated lift on this tract, will not be excessive.

The demand for five and ten acre tracts for fruit and chicken ranches is already being felt throughout this section, as well as in the Mimbres valley and along the Pecca, and it is hoped that more of the land owners in the valley will plat their holdings into small tracts and give the wage earner an opportunity to become the owner of enough land to keep himself and family in comfort.

DAILY RECORD

der their floors. These open through the floor of the locks in a series of theire, each 2 feet in diameter.

The water is first admitted into the big tunnels, and passes from them into smaller ones beneath the floors of the locks, and from them into the locks, and from them into the lock itself. When a ship seeks to pass out of the Gatun lake to the sea level, the upper gates are opened and electric towing locamotives pull it Deeds Flied. Prospect avenue, between Santa Pe and Corto streets—W. E. Porter and wife to Rodolfo Cruz. lots 96 to 28, block S. Sunset Heights, and houses 227, 222, 401, 403 and 403. Prospect avenue, located therson; consideration \$23,250; March I, 1912.

Upson avenue, between Randolph and Bryan streets—N. G. Buchox and wife to W. E. Brown, tot 26 and east one-half lot 25, block 28, Sunset Heights; consideration \$1600; March II, 1912.

Monthan attreet, between Coles avenue and Popiar street—Cotton satate to Dr. James Vance, lots 7 to 10, block 20, Cotton addition; consideration \$2000; February 27, 1912.

Northwest corner Nevada and Noble streets—E. P. Levy and wife to P. H. Balley, lots 41, 48, block 283, Pierce-Finley addition; consideration \$2000; February 28, 1912.

Cloudcroft, street, between Luna and Grama streets—Lillian S. Johnson to Samuel Kranzther, lot 3 and east one-half lot 2, block 108, East El Paso affilion; consideration \$1850.69; March 8, 1912.

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North Stanton attreet, between Wyoming street and Boulevard—Christina G. Prospect avenue, between Santa Pe and Corto streets—W. E. Porter and wife to Rodolfo Cruz, lots \$6 to 32, block S. Sunset Heights, and houses 227, \$22, 401, 403 and 405. Prospect avenue, located thereon; consideration \$22,250; March 1, 1912.

Unson avenue, between Randolph and for this country.

hetween them is opened and the samp is towed into the lower lock. This operation is repeated until the vessel finds itself \$5 feet lower than it was when the process of lockage began.

Operated by Electricity.

The lock machinery is operated by electricity generated at Gatun dam. The world's most elaborate system of protecting the locks from injury has been resorted to. When a ship approaches the upper lock it encounters a huge steel chain, each end fastened to a glant bydraulic jack. After the vessel is stopped it will be met by four large towing locomotives on marrowguage rachtracks. Two of these will hitch to its how and two to its stern, the two is front pulling it forward and the two behind preventing it from moving too rapidly. Copyright 1911, by Frederick J. Haskin. (This is part of a chapter on The Pansina Canal from the book "The American Government," by Frederick J. Haskin which now is offered to the reiders of the El Pase Herald on most advantageous terms. See notice

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BIG SPRING TO BE MECCA FOR SHRINERS

Change Is Made in General Foremanship of T. P. Shops. Big Spring, Tex., March 12.-April

ist is the date set for the holding of the big Shriners' meeting in Big

North Stanton street, between Wyoming street and Boulevard—Christina G. Cottingham to Willam White, lot 5, block 22, Satterthwaite's addition; also known as block 243, Campbell addition; consideration \$6150; February 1, 1912, Licensed to Wed.

Reyes Madrid and Paula Gordia.

Texas,

George E. McNew and Ben Allen have purchased the Union barber shop, the six chair shop, from F. L. Cauble.

Mrs. Lillie Brown, aged 30 years, died here at the home of her sister. Mrs. L. L. Stephenson, after a short illness. The remains were taken to the old home at Nacogdoches for bur

pany. "Uncle" Joe McLean, who has re- but I send it entirely free.

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turned from Carrisose, N. M. is fil at the home of R. D. McAnelly.

Sam Means purchased a beautiful two passenger auto while in El Paso.

Mrs. Will A. Poley who for two months has been ill with blood poisoning. is slowly recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hinson, who eccupled "Bitter-Sweet" cottags, have gone to El Paso to make their future homs.

home.

Mrs. Bessle Ash and little daughter, Constance, who have been visiting at the home of her parents, Mr and Mrs. P. M. Smith, have returned to their home in New Mexico. 18 AGAIN AT HOME IN HIS STATIONARY PRIVATE CAR. Vice president C. P. Hudson, of the Mexican Central railroad, has returned from a brief visit to California and is again at home in his private car in the Union station yards.

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TO VISIT FAMERIAND.

S. N. Schwabe, of the Rie Grande Valley bank, will leave this week for the home of his relatives in Hamburg.

Germany. Mr. Schwabe will visit at the old home until summer.

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the old home at Nacogdoches for bur ial.

Frank Worrell, who was charged with killing W. D. Nelson here a few weeks ago, was found guilty of mansaughter and sentenced to three years in the penitenthary.

C. W. Willis, aged about 50 years, died in this city after a long illness, brong and Vigorous.

Scott's

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Thave in my peasession a prescription for the part of West Texas, has reached this city. He was general manager of this part of West Texas, has reached this city. He was general manager of Col. C. C. Shaughter's ranches and president of the Pirst State bank of Lames.

Thave in my peasession a prescription for nervous debility, lack of vigor, and lame back, brought on by excesses, this city, the was general manager of Col. C. C. Shaughter's ranches and president of the Pirst State bank of Lames.

The old home at Nacogdoches for bur ial.

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I have in my peasession a prescription for nervous debility, lack of vigor, and lame back, brought on by excesses, this city, the was general manager of Col. C. C. Shaughter's ranches and previous men right in their own homes—without any additional help or the college of the peace o

He was a prominent citizen, having been postmaster here at one times for a number of years.

News of the death of J. T. Joyner, one of the best known stockmen of this part of West Texas, has reached this city. He was general manager of Col. C. C. Slaughier's ranches and president of the Pirst State bank of Lamesa.

P. M. George, of the Big Spring business collegs, has returned from a business trip to Deming. N. M.

Like Williard and family have arrived from West Virginia and will make their home on a ranch near this city.

F. W. Abney, of Charleston, W. Va, is here visiting relatives and looking after ranch interests.

Housell Koch has jointed his father here from Greenville, Tex. The rest of the family will move to Big Spring within a short time.

J. B. Shocktey, of Hagerman, N. M., who recently purchased the Rowland farm northwest of town, is in the city, the intends moving big family here.

VALENTINE MAN RECOVERS

HORSE STOLEN BY BANDITS Valentine, Texas, March 13.—C. E. Couring has returned from Sierra Blanco where he recovered his black driving horse, which was stolen and ridden off by bendits last week.

Mrs. R. B. Jones has returned from Estancia. N. M., and has her former position with the Valentine Drug company.

"Uncle" Joe MeLean, who has re-but I send it entirely fea.

Peace and Plenty

Do all Americans realize that the peace and plenty that is theirs is a result of their good government? Or do they too often accept tranquility and prosperity as a matter of course? These are questions that no young American ought to be permitted to ignore. The best way to teach a child the big facts about the government of the United

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